## PRESIDENT, ENCOURAGED, TO I GERMANS POUND FRENCH HARD PUSH CAMPAIGN

Long Branch, N. J., Oct. 21.-Back at Shadow Lawn today, after what he regards "the most successful trip" of his campaign, President Wilson prepared to launch his most vigorous efforts during the two weeks now remaining before election.

This afternoon he addresses a delegation of farmers from the veranda of the summer white house here. Wednesday he leaves for Cincinnati, where he speaks Thursday, returning to Long Branch for another "porch speech" next Saturday. The following week he speaks at Buffalo, New York city and final speech at Shadow Lawn.

The Democratic lieutenants no longer believe the president will "carry" the election. They are talk-

ing "landslide."

0-0-San Antonio. - No official representation will be made to Mexican government over clash between American soldiers and band of Mex-Mexicans icans near San Jose. grunk. None injured.

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## TO RETAKE POSITIONS

Paris.-German troops apparently are trying to regain the initiative on the Somme. Repeated terrific counter attacks have been delivered by the Teutons, especially north of the river, in the past few days. Each of these blows, according to reports from French headquarters, has been shattered.

French continue slowly but surely winning, their objectives on the Somme. The Germans are suffering greatly from inferiority in aerial branch of warfare on the Somme.

Paris.-Serbs pushed nearer to Monastir in new offensive, making further progress in bend of Cerna river. North of Velik allies have

reached Skirk Baldek.

London.-Further progress for the British last night near Butte de Warlencourt (three miles south of Bapaume) reported. Both north and south of Aners there was intermit-

tent enemy shelling.

Petrograd.-Great battle is raging all along Dobrudja front, where offensive Mackensen bas taken against Russo-Rumanians in effort to halt the Rumanian counter offensive in Transylvania. Attacking in region of Kobardja, German Bulgarian troops occupied village and continued attacks throughout the

Amsterdam.-Kaiser Wilhelm has appointed Prince Henry of Prussia, his oldest brother, grand admiral in

German navy.

## 0-0-FORESTERS TO BANQUET

Catholic Foresters of Cook county will hold banquet at Hotel Sherman, Sunday evening. Arrangements have been made to accommodate 1,500 by using all of hotel's banquet halls. Speakers: Rev. John W. Mellody, D. S. T.; T. S. Hogan, former attorney general of Ohio: Thos. H. Gannon, high chief ranger, and Wm. F. Ryan, state chief ranger.